



USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News

Weekly Egg Products Report

July 8, 2005

The "SOURCE" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

COMBINED REGIONAL REPORT - Combined regional for week ending **08-Jul-05** average prices on Sales to volume buyers, Grade A large, white eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

	Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Combined Regional
This week	57.00	56.50	50.50	59.50	56.03
Last week	55.50	53.50	47.50	56.50	53.39

SELECTED CITIES DELIVERED STORE DOOR LARGE - 08-Jul-05:

New York 62-66 **Midwest** 55-64 **California** 92

WEEKLY SHELL EGG AND BREAKING STOCK INVENTORY - 05-Jul-05 - (30 DOZEN CASES - IN THOUSANDS)

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
Current week	134.8	301.0	132.9	263.2	202.7	1034.6	270.0	1304.6
% change PW	1	9	20	30	5	13	3	11

Breaking Stock 08-Jul-05 - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States	Eastern Region
Nest Run	21-23 M 23	21-26 M 22-24
Checks & Undergrades	10-14 M 10-12	10-17 M 11-15

Eggs Processed under federal inspection week ending **02-Jul-05**. Lbs. in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
Current Week	1,328,610	30,406	13,425	6,888	3,356	4,550
Previous Week	1,378,428	32,841	13,156	7,232	3,704	4,351
Last Year	1,272,734	30,372	12,036	6,330	2,895	4,294
% Change PWK	-4%	-7%	2%	-5%	-9%	5%
% Change LY	4%	0%	12%	9%	16%	6%
To-Date 2005	33,755,966	796,323	336,056	180,028	76,543	115,038
To-Date 2004	31,531,762	746,141	303,799	167,793	71,508	108,349
% Change YTD	7%	7%	11%	7%	7%	6%

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE INCLUDED)

Current Week: 41.60 **Previous Week:** 41.77 **Last Year:** 41.67

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE EXCLUDED)

Current Week: 38.17 **Previous Week:** 38.62 **Last Year:** 38.29

In-Line Production (of total production; lbs. in thousands; may include a limited amount of off-line source material)

	CASES BROKEN		LIQUID WHOLE	
	Cases	% of Total	Lbs.	% of Total
CURRENT WEEK	547,211	41.2%	13,928	45.8%
PREVIOUS WEEK	558,871	40.5%	14,312	43.6%
LAST YEAR	518,245	40.7%	12,925	42.6%

National Liquid Eggs - 08-Jul-05 - prices paid cents/lb, f.o.b. plant, non-pasteurized trucklots, for delivery within 14 days.

Class	Loads	Range	Wtd. Avg.	Change From Last Week
WHOLE	18	21-22	21.44	-1.34
WHITES	20	12-14	13.18	.24
YOLKS	10	51-53	51.43	.43

Pasteurized salt yolk reported from 46 to 49 cents fob, mostly 48 to 49 cents fob, with no pasteurized whites reported.

Frozen Egg Prices - 08-Jul-05 wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot Eastern		Central	Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.) Eastern		South California ²
Whole	32-37	M 33-36	33-36 M 33-35	40-44		39-42
Blends ³	TOO FEW	TO REPORT		56-70		-
Whites	28-33	M 29-32	29-33	36-47		36-39
Yolks ⁴						
Sugared	55-61	M 56-59	57-61 M 59	63-67		63-66
Salted	53-57	M 54-57	55-59 M 55-56	59-65		61-64

² f.o.b. shipping point

³ whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids

⁴ minimum 43% solids0

National Dried Egg Prices - 08-Jul-05 - wholesale selling prices \$/lb, in containers, trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Range	Mostly
WHOLE	1.23-1.50	1.27-1.35
YOLKS	1.26-1.45	1.35-1.45
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	1.98-2.25	2.04-2.15
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	1.20-1.60	1.20-1.30

Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands) Weekending 02-Jul-2005

Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.		U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada		Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered	
This week	1,574	This week	240	This week	1,814
Last week	1,658	Last week	148	Last week	1,806
Last year	1,452	Last year	65	Last year	1,517
To Date 2005	40,438	To Date 2005	7,169	To Date 2005	47,607
To Date 2005	34,697	To Date 2004	6,295	To Date 2004	40,992

U.S. Exports To Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 25-Jun-05

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	0	0	0	0
Last year /1	310	0	48	358
To date 2005/2	6,495	21	207	6,723
To date 2005	5,773	11	386	6,170

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 25-Jun-05

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	35	40	0	75
Last year /1	212	3	84	299
To date 2005/2	2,601	413	345	3,359
To date 2005	3,182	953	1,487	5,622

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S. Exports To Canada, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 25-Jun-05

	Jumbo	EX-Lg	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	0	5,760	3,810	0	0	0	9,570
Last year /1	30	7,320	21,370	2,100	7,380	0	38,200
To date 2005/2	67	43,460	79,444	40,710	59,654	5,053	228,388
To date 2005	207	56,636	128,129	43,854	161,994	13,670	404,490

/1 Comparable week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.

/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s).

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

SHELL EGGS BROKEN UP 7 PERCENT

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Shell eggs broken = 173 million dozen during May 2005, up 7% from May 2004.

May 2005 contained 22 weekdays (including one holiday) and four Saturdays, compared to 21 weekdays (including one holiday) and five Saturdays in May 2004.

Shell Eggs Broken: Federally Inspected, United States, May 2005

Month & Region	Eggs Broken	Edible Liquid Whole	Edible Liquid White	Edible Liquid Yolk	Edible Liquid Total	Inedible Liquid
May 2005: United States	(1,000 Dozen) 172,913	(1,000 Pounds) 134,171	(1,000 Pounds) 59,519	(1,000 Pounds) 32,523	(1,000 Pounds) 226,213	(1,000 Pounds) 18,488
May 2004: United States	161,981	126,417	54,612	29,118	210,147	17,595

Egg Products Inspected: Cumulative, United States, January - May 2004-05

Period	Eggs Broken	Edible Liquid Whole	Edible Liquid White	Edible Liquid Yolk	Edible Liquid Total	Inedible Liquid
January 1, 2005- May 31 2005	(1,000 Dozen) 834,687	(1,000 Pounds) 664,881	(1,000 Pounds) 274,406	(1,000 Pounds) 150,515	(1,000 Pounds) 1,089,802	(1,000 Pounds) 94,966
January 1, 2004 - May 31, 2004	769,962	609,962	245,624	135,440	991,026	87,077

Data presented in this report were compiled from inspection reports of the Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS). The best available data at time of publication was used. For information on "Egg Products" call Mike Baker at 202-720-3243, office hours 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., ET.